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New Mail Delivery Putting Lemon Grove into City Class

City Mail Delivery to Start April 1

Lemon Grove postoffice steps into the city class Saturday, April 1, when city mail delivery in the business district and in Monterey Heights section goes into effect.

Postmaster Faucher announced Monday that the new service will be inaugurated with two carriers, and one delivery a day at the start, with the second delivery coming later.

The downtown area to be served is bounded on the north by High street, on the east by Golden and Kempf, on the south by San Miguel and on the west by New Jersey.

There will be 500 stops in this area.

The Monterey Heights delivery will be in the area bounded on the north by Alton drive, Skyline on the east, Lansing on the south and Glencoe on the west. Here there will be 600 stops.

Mounted delivery will continue in all the remaining area of Lemon Grove.

Mail boxes must be placed on the curb line at all residences that do not have sidewalks running from the street to the house. Sidewalks may be of brick, cement, gravel, blacktop or stepping stones as far as the postofice department is concerned, but no postal carrier is required to walk through mud to make delivery.

The department asks the people for co-operation in placing their mail boxes so as to be accessible to the delivery man, as a minute saved at each stop means much in a day's trip on the route. The better co-operation, the quicker the service will be increased, and two-a-day deliveries made.

Mrs. Higgins Wins Award at Show

Mrs. Frank Higgins, who signs her paintings "Olga Higgins," was one of the winners in the San Diego Art Guild's annual all-media show in the Fine Arts Gallery in Balboa Park last week. Mrs. Higgins' winning picture "Picnic in the Park" is a water color. She also exhibited "Hired Hand," done in oil.

Stephen Westover is also a member of the Art Guild but did not exhibit this year.

Mrs. Higgins has exhibited in Los Angeles and recently sold five of her paintings to Barker Bros.

To Ask Bids on Local Sewers

The San Diego County Board of Supervisors has passed a resolution authorizing the work on the Lemon Grove sewer line known as District No. 4, and has ordered the ordinance drawn up setting up the prevailing wage scale for the job.

Mr. Vincenz will soon start asking bids on the job.

DINNER MEETING

The San Diego County Development Federation will meet at dinner at Hotel Del Mar in Del Mar, next Tuesday, at 7 p. m. Guest speaker will be Dr. Willis Miller, Chief of the San Diego County Planning Division and Joe Mack, County Surveyor. Reservations should be made immediately.

DATES CLAIMED

March 17—Chicken pie dinner, by Los Amigos, Friendship Hall Congregational Church.

March 17—Card Party and Refreshments, Monterey Heights School, benefit P.T.A.

March 18—Card party by Parents Club of Grossmont Band, La Mesa Youth Center, 7:30.

March 19—Ham dinner by parish of St. John of the Cross in school auditorium, 12:30 to 5 p. m.

March 24—Forward Club Juniors all day rummage sale, 3107 National avenue.

March 24—Concert by Congregational choir, Friendship Hall.

March 31—Square dance, 8 p. m., Friendship Hall.

Hi, Neighbor

by Mae Rex Graham

'Tis a wearin' o' the green, ye better be in the marnin'! Specially you folk who congregate at the post office for the early mail. Danny O'Pra and Merry O'Mulkey will be on hand with their Shillalahs to look you over, and woe unto ye if it's a bit of green ye cannot show. Well, here's a hint to ye.

Freeborn O'Cressy says he has green ties galore and Mrs. O' Lewis, at her flower shop, will have green carnations for your bouttenier and a green corsage for the ladies dear. Then O'Blake at the Greeting Shop has the gaiest of St. Patrick cards and the finest of decorations for your parties. Patrick Michel O'Boese down at the Grove Variety has a smart lot of Irish candy favors and some nice cards, too.

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Lem O'Clarke, over at the Grove Shoe Store beats them all with some stylish green shoes that sure would look nice when milady trips the light fantastic or swings her partner do se do.

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On Friday night, to finish up the celebratin', there's' chicken in the pie for you over at Friendship Hall at dinnertime. Then while the evenin's young take the lady over to the nice new Monterey Heights School where her corsage is free and the PTA has most any kind of game ready for you with prizes galore. A nice serving of dessert, too, before you start to play.

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What to do on Sunday? Up at the friendly Catholic Church, St. John of the Cross, they'll still be honoring St. Patrick with their annual Big Ham Dinner. Plenty of time after you have gone to Church to go over to the school auditorium and let the men of the church show you what a real ham dinner is like. There'll be pretty lassies to wait on you and singing bus boys, too.

Park the children down in the school basement at the marionettte show. Then Mom you better take Dad over to the Lemon Grove Hardware to show him that super duper St. Charles California designed kitchen.

And ladies, it's a honey! Lovely metal cabinets (the like of which you never dreamed) to fit any space and for every need imaginable; many conveniences you've always wanted, and more that you'll want after seeing what experienced planners have done to take drudgery out of the kitchen. Color harmonizing, the proper lighting, step saving, innumerable other features that all add up to Beauty and Efficiency.

You can't afford to miss seeing a St. Charles kitchen whether you are in the market or not. You will be just as welcome by Mr. and Mrs. Sanders next Sunday afternoon or any time thereafter.

See Fruit Gift Packing Plant

Forty school children from Bostonia were brought to Prevost Bros. Fruit Packing plant last Wednesday. Mr. Prevost not only showed them the different steps in receiving and packing fruit but demonstrated how he makes plastic fruits for display in stores.

The children and teachers were each given a nice red apple as a treat.

HEADS V.F.W. AUXILIARY

Mrs. Jack Hunt was elected president of the Auxiliary to V.F.W. Post No. 2082 on Tuesday evening. Others elected are Mrs. Harold Jensen, senior vice-president; Mrs. Frank Capron, junior vice-president; Mrs. Laura Hatton, treasurer; Mrs. Henry Plumb, secretary; Mrs. Abbie Brennan, chaplain; Mrs. R. C. Nevis, conductress; Mrs. Charles String, guard; Mrs. H. Henderson., Mrs. Plumb and Mrs. Galland, delegates to County Council. Announcement of installaion date will be made next week.

WELCOME to New Readers

Floyd Looney,
J. R. Mulkey.
Harold R. Mulkey.
A. R. Rettka.
M. W. Galland.

Special Announcement

Beginning next week the Review will be delivered to every home and postoffice box in Lemon Grove for a period of three months. The Review is being sent to the homes for the purpose of telling the story of fire protection and what it will mean to Lemon Grove.

The election is to determine whether or not the people of the community want fire protection of their own, or are willing to depend on the inadequate service now rendered by the Forestry departmnet of San Diego County.

Rev. J. Morris Mulkey, A. L. Anderson and Harry Monell, who have been appointed fire commissioners for the Lemon Grove Fire Protection District, by the San Diego County Board of Supervisors, are working diligently on plans for the establishment of fire protection in Lemon Grove, and are assisted by an Advisory Board, appointed by V. J. Dorman, president of the Chamber of Commerce.

The Review will change its press day form Thursday to Wednesday for the benefit of advertisers who will want their advertising in the hands of householders on Thursday for week end shopping. The deadline for advertising will be Tuesday noon; for news matter, Tuesday at 2 p. m.

The Review will be enlarged to eight pages, starting next week, and a serial story, comics and short features will be included in the paper.

The three months' subscription to those not now receiving the paper is paid for by parties interested in fire protection and who want the complete story told to the people of Lemon Grove.

All publicity chairmen of organizations are requested to get their copy in on Monday, if possible, and not later than Tuesday noon.

Radio Artist on Club Program

Izette Jewel brought a half hour of unforgettable drama to Forward Club members and their guests Friday afternoon. Miss Jewel, whose careers have included the theatre, politics, farming, travel in the Orient and interviewing royalty, has now turned to radio.

With the theme "Radio Randoms" Miss Jewel, who is Mrs. Hugh Miller in private life, told of her curiosity as to "what made the wheels go round in Women's Clubs in California." Instead of retiring on coming to La Jolla, therefore, she joined a club, and with her office of drama chairman of the County Federation she was "given the precious opportunity to visit little clubhouses throughout the county and see what women were doing. What a blessed experience!" She commended Irene Clark as first clubwoman editor, "who with her 22 years as club editor may still write the great American novel."

Referring to her radio talk of the morning, Miss Jewel highlighted three dramatic possibilities in the news having to do with Leopold of Belgium, Josephine Roach as trustee of the Welfare Fund of Miners, and the addition of two new stars to our flag.

Turning to poetry, Miss Jewel read poems from two recently published books by San Diego Poets: Mrs. Marshall's "Echo Hill" and Mrs. Keyes "Twilight Trail." She then told of the career of Arthur Miller, dramatist, and gave from his "The Death of a Salesman" the wife's defense to their ungrateful and rebellious sons. After bringing her audience to a tearful mood, Miss Jewel left the women smiling with "Women and Weeds."

Cancer Research Explained to Group

The subject of Cancer Research was made most interesting and profitable when Eugene Ross, secretary of the San Diego Branch of the American Cancer Society, and Dr. Wesley Herbert of Lemon Grove discussed the subject Tuesday evening before the Forward Club Juniors.

Members who volunteered to assist in the Red Cross drive were Mesdames John Kish, Bill Kellison, Ralph Dewey, David Hentigan, E. A. Ross, James Martin and Leroy Bellwood.

New members received were Mrs. Thos. Scarrett and Mrs. Jas. O'Reilly. Guests were Mrs. Wesley Herbert and Mrs. Eugene Ross.

The Executive Board will meet Monday with Mrs. Del Fernald, 7042 San Miguel.

HAS APPENDECTOMY

Miss Mary Frances Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roberts, of the Western Auto Supply, underwent an emergency appendectomy last Friday night. She is recuperating nicely having been brought home on Tuesday.

School Growth Here Phenominal

The growth of the Lemon Grove schools during the past 10 years has been phenominal, and shows the trend of the entire community toward greater growth in the next 10 years.

Following is the school registration for the past 10 years:

1940	279
1941	320
1942	396
1943	570
1944	642
1945	704
1946	808
1947	1064
1948	1273
1949	1570

The attendance for the next school year, estimate by the State Board of Education is 2073. The district now has four schools, and a fifth is in the making.

The oldest school is Lemon Grove on School Lane and Lincold, the next is Golden avenue School and last September two new schools, the Monterey Heights School and the Vista La Mesa School, were opened.

These are all elementary schools, and the high school pupils attend Grossmont High School, Lemon Grove being part of the Grossmont High School District.

These figures prove that Lemon Grove is undoubtedly the fastest growing area in Southern California today.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Rossi and son and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Westerman of Sacramento were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Magnusson, 2828 Massachusetts Ave., Monday evening.

Rules Set up for Control of Community Center Building

The San Diego County Board of Supervisors has adopted a set of rules pertaining to the operation of public property used by the general public, such as the Lemon Grove Community Center.

The rules adopted were made to fit the operation of all buildings in county parks and recreation centers, and provides that a control board consisting of one representative from each civic group in the area interested in the activities of the Recreation Center building shall be set up.

The control board shall elect such officers as may be desired, but it is mandatory that a president, secretary-treasurer and an executive committee be elected which may consist of the entire control board.

The control board members and its officers shall hold office for one year, and if the persons designated as secretary-treasurer is acceptable to the Director of Public Works, the director may name him as his representative in all matters pertainings to the collection and disbursement of funds received from various organizations for use of the building. The Director of Public Works has it within his power to ask for the naming of another secretary-treasurer if the one named is not acceptable and the secretary-treasurer will be required to furnish a $1,000 bond to assure proper performance of duty. The cost of the bond will be paid by San Diego County.

It is the duty of the exeecutive committee to see that all groups using the recreation center building comply with all county regulations in Ordinance 362, and also the committee may set up such of its own rules as it may deem necessary, with the approval of the control board and the Director of Public Works.

The schedule of charges for the use of the building shall be set up by the control board and recommended to the Director of Public Works in an amount sufficient to cover reasonable operating costs, including any extraordinary cleaning and maintenance costs. These charges must be approved by the San Diego County Board of Supervisors,

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FLASH!

Through the courtesy of Chief Courser of the San Diego City Fire Department a fire truck will be demonstrated in Lemon Grove Saturday, March 25.

The truck will be stationed near the First National Bank from 12 to 3 p. m.

1000 New Homes to be Built Here

Wth the announcement of the awarding of the contract for the completion of College avenue from University to Federal boulevard, comes the news that nearly 1000 new homes are to be built in a subdivision to be laid out along the new street on the Dr. William P. Odom property, part of which lies in the city of San Diego, and part is in the county adjacent to the western limits of the Lemon Grove school district.

College will meet Federal near the Naval Communications station.

The owner said the property, which lies on both sides of the College avenue extension, will be split into tracts and several builders, including a Los Angeles concern, may take part in the vast residential development. The contract already has been let for the extension of College avenue, which eventually will be carried south to Federal boulevard.

Several plateaus top the rolling hills in this area, offering many view sites for new homes. When the area is fully developed, there will be a solid section of dwellings almost from Fourty-fourth street, where hundreds of homes have been built on new subdivisions in the last 18 months, to Cosgrove Heights, where Contractor Chris Cosgrove is now building 69 homes on property he acquired from Dr. Odom. Cosgrove also obtained more land east and adjacent to Cosgrove Heights where he intends to expand this subdivision with 265 additional houses.

Pastor Honored on Two Years Work

A special commemorative service marking the completion of two years of service by the pastor, the Rev. L. E. Knudsen, will be held at La Presa Community Church Sunday.

Following the morning services which starts at 10:45, a pot-luck dinner will be served. At 2:15 p. m., several visiting pasters wil participate in a program arranged by Rev. Knudsen, who has served so faithfully in the little Church in the Valley. All are invited.

MRS. TED MAGNUSSON

Mrs. Ted Magnusson, 2828 Massachusetts Ave., was elected president of the State Council of Auxiliaries to the Carpenters Unions of California, at the State convention held the first week in March at the U. S. Grant Hotel, San Diego.

Mrs. Magnusson served last year as a member of the State Council and as secretary of Auxiliary 170 in San Diego.

Mr. Magnusson has been president of Carpenter's Union No. 1571, of San Diego for three years and for two years has been president of the San Diego County Distriet Council of Carpenters.

Board Endorses Tobacco Revenue Bill in Assembly

The Board of Trustees of the Lemon Grove School District went on record Tuesday evening as endorsing Bill AB 2120 now before the California General Assembly, together with the tobacco revenue bill, which if passed, will provide funds for the benefit of the school districts of the state.

The board urges passage of these two bills. If these bills fail of passage, the Lemon Grove schools must reduce the services now being given the district, or levy increased local taxes.

Because this revenue bill failed to pass at the last session of the legislature, it was necessary for the local schools to drop three classroom teachers, one speech and hearing teacher, one custodian, one secretary, reduce the amount for pupil supplies one-half, reduce the operation $3000, with two new schools opening last September, and cut the budget for maintenance $1500

Median teachers' salaries in Lemon Grove is $3.006, while for the state it is $3,352.

Schools to Close for Institute

Byron L. Netzley, Superintendent of Schools in Lemon Grove, announces that all schools of the district will be closed on Friday, March 17, due to Spring Institute for teachers and administrators.

Dr. Hollis L. Casswell, Dean of Teachers College, Columbia University, New York City, is the principal speaker for the Institute, which will be held in Conference Hall, Balboa Park, San Diego. Dr. Casswell will speak on "Teachers as Educational Leaders."

Troubled Waters

Bill McGraw, in San Diego Tribune-Sun: One place where a rubber check would be a positive advantage—not for its bouncing but for its stretching qualities—is the area served by the La Mesa, Lemon Grove and Spring Valley Irrigation District.

At every payment period approximately 5000 breadwinners wrestle with the problem of how to get that mouthful of title onto the line where it says "pay to the order of."

They are about evenly divided into those who doggedly write the whole thing out, taking two lines to do it, those who compromise by writing "L.M., L.G. & S.V. Irrigation District," and those intrepid souls who refuse to put up with such foolishness and simply write "Irrigation District."

Doesn't really make any difference, I learned from M. J. Shelton, general manager and chief engineer. As long as you've got the money in the bank the L.M., L.G. & S.V. I.D. doesn't care how you make out the check.

Old Pictures of Lemon Grove Arouse Interest

A well filled auditorium at Community Center greeted the Chamber of Commerce Monday evening when the membership meeting was held.

President Vrooman J. Dorman presided at the meeting and after stating the purpose of the meeting and objectives of the Chamber of Commerce, introduced Postmaster F. R. Faucher, who outlined the districts where the new mail carriers will travel when city delivery is started here April 1.

Director John Hill had arranged with the Union Title Insurance and Trust Company for showing an historical set of slides depicting the growth of San Diego and its Chamber of Commerce over a period of 80 years.

Seeing these pictures filled those in attenndance with enthusiasm for the growth of our own community.

The Title Company also had on display early photographs of Lemon Grove showing it as a lemon grove but 12 short years ago, the only buildings being here at that time were the Sonka Bros. store, the building occupied by the Avalon Cafe, a railroad station, and Prevost Brothers packing house at the point where Broadway now crosses the railroad tracks, and a few other scattered small miscellaneous structures, and a school house on Lincoln avenue.

All the area east of the railroad tracks along what is now Broadway, was a lemon grove up to 10 years ago. Broadway was extended across the tracks at that time, and the frontage along the new street subdivided, but along came the war and stopped all activity until the close of the war in 1945.

Since 1945 the school enrollment has more than doubled, all of the business houses on Broadway have been built and the Monterey Heights section was built up.

Figures presented by President Dorman on the school enrollment shows Lemon Grove to be the fastest growing community in Southern California today.

Solleder on Panel at Conference

S. K. Solleder, Ben Schei, Wm. A. Thomas and Evelyn Lauritzen, the four principals of the Lemon Grove Elementary Schools, have been granted time off to attend the Elementary Principals Conference at Hollywood in April.

Mr. Solleder is serving on the panel for the seventh and eighth grades at the conference.

SET SPEED ON IMPERIAL

The Board of Supervisors passed a resolution last week setting the speed on Imperial boulevard in Lemon Grove between Lincoln and Golden at 35 miles per hour.

Gellar Heads Local VFW Group

Harry D. Gellar was elected commander of Post No. 2028, Veterans of Foreign Wars, at the annual meeting held Tuesday evening. He succeeds Com. Frank Capron, who has had a most successful year in which a large number of veterans were added to the roster.

Others elected were Bill Crafton, senior vice-commander; J. D. Pinterich, junior vice; C. L. String, quartermaster; Frank Capron, advocate; Vincent Powlowski, chaplain; Reno Rustana, surgeon; Bob Johnson, trustee for three years; M. W. Galland, trustee for one year; W. D. Welch, V. R. Muzzy, C. O. Woodling, F. King, G. J. Harton, delegates to County Council; A. T. Henderson, L. B. Sommerville, F. Hunt, J. Dale, delegates to District Council.

A dance is being held Saturday night and by popular demand, it was decided to also have one on March 25. Beginning in April, public dances will be held on the second and fourth Saturday nights.

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WINTER PLAYS NO FAVORITES

A number of residents of the Pacific Northwest must, by now, be somwhat disillusioned with the idea the road to better and cheaper electric service lies socialization.

Some years ago, People's Utility Districts, known as PUDS, were formed in various parts of the area. The PUDS took over electric generation and distribution facilities which had formerly been operated by private utilities and went into the power business.

This winter, the Pacific Northwest was hit with unusually severe storms. Heavy damage was done to power lines and other installations. Two of the leading PUDS found that they didn't have enough spare money to pay the repair bill. So they have substantially increased the electric rates to consumers. It is a noteworthy fact that neither of these PUDS made rate reductions when they took over the private companies.

The private utilities in the region also suffered heavy damage. But, as always, they have gone ahead and made the necessary repairs. They have not asked for rate increases—and, if they did, the regulatory commissions would undoubtedly look on the idea with cold eyes. But PUDS are immune from such nuisances as public regulations—just as they are immune from taxes. So their customers are going to pay more for power whether they like it or not—and for standards of service which, generally, are much below those of the private utilities.

The Vancouver, Washington, Columbian observed that these rate increases are "proving embarrassing to the extreme advocates of socialism who shout from the house tops that public ownership is the cure for all the world's ills." This is a fine example of the fact that socialism, among its other evils, is basically inefficient.

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HOTHOUSE SECURITY FATAL

In a recent address John Foster Dulles said, "There is a primitive law of the survival of the fittest and fitness is found, most of all in adaptability to ever-changing conditions. Those who live under artificial, hothouse conditions do not last for long. A people become insecure when they demand and get personal security and material welfare that depend upon highly artificial conditions. No armament can protect against that type of insecurity.

"A people survive in freedom if their members are courageous, resourceful and self-reliant, if each carries a share of responsibilities for common problems, if they are individually and collectively adaptable to changing conditions, if they have faith and vision and put spiritual values ahead of material values and if they keep control of their own destiny.

"I pray that we shall continue to be that kind of people."

We shall not continue to be that kind of people if we turn to government to protect us against every exigency of individual life. The late Justice Brandeis said, "Experience should teach us to be most on our guard to protect liberty when the government's purposes are beneficent." There could be no better thought for these times.

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President Truman says his welfare state program is not socialism. Norman Thomas (candidate for president on the Socialist ticket in every election since 1928) should be an authority on the question:

"What is the difference between Socialism and social welfare?" Mr. Thomas says "In effect they are synonymous."

Historians tell us that socialism and Communism "go hand in hand." That is the way Communists work—first they promote socialism, then the way is clear for communism.

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If Californians believed in party labels, James Roosevelt would be the next Governor of the state.

That the late President's eldest son is not favored, particularly, to crown his political ambition with success would suggest that most Democrats don't vote Democratic any more than most Republicans vote Republican just because the candidate parades under one banner or another.

Mr. Roosevelt hopes to overcome this disconcerting habit on the part of the California electorate—and well may he strive.

While voters may register for the June election until April 13, it's a foregone conclusion that there will be more registered Democrats than Republicans, as there have been for some years.

Present estimates by Secretary of State Frank M. Jordan reveal that the Democrats will have somewhere in the neighborhood of 60 percent of the registered vote. At the present time, Jordan states, the Democrats have a bulge in Los Angeles County of over a million voters to 700,000 for the Republicans.

In San Francisco, it's 250,000 Democrats to 135,000 Republicans and Alameda County shows 235,000 Democrats to 163,000 Republicans.

It's little wonder that Jimmy Roosevelt is turning handsprings to instill pride of party in the Democrats.

Good or bad, one of the principal reason party lines have broken down in California is due to the State's system of cross-filing. A candidate, while ostensibly a Republican, can file for election on the Democratic ticket, too, and Democrats can return the favor.

Thus a candidate's party affiliation is of little moment in getting elected—and party platforms don't mean too much, either. As a consequence, the party which happens to be in power at any given time is generally more warm in its feeling toward the cross-filing practice than the outs—though there are a great many who prefer to argue the case on its merits.

In any case, most analysts agree that cross-filing has killed effective organization of the two major political parties in California as vote-getters in their own right.

From James Roosevelt's standpoint, it's a sad, if not perplexing situation. But although he has disagreed violently with the entire practice (possibly as one facet of his campaign to get Democrats to vote Democratic), that conviction evidently won't keep him from cross-filing. That he has announced he will do.

Unless Roosevelt is successful in selling his Democrats-be-Democrats idea—and past history would indicate that the odds are against him—the gubernatorial race is going to be a hard-fought affair, decided, as usual, by the great majority of Californians who refuse to wear either major party label with any degree of regularity.

Sparks

FROM THE NEWS CIRCUIT

JAMES DORAIS

Once again Uncle Sam's day of reckoning—March 15—is at hand.

Californians presently engaged in the yearly struggle with Form 1040 have it all to do over again, too, a month hence when the State Franchise Tax Board holds out an income tax cup of its own. The State is less demanding, of course, though why official California figures a child or dependant relative can be supported on $400 a year as against an allowance of $600 granted by the otherwise sterner Federal Income Tax Collector remains one of the minor mysteries of the age. Particularly so when the State of California pays out $900 a year itself for the support of old age pensioners.

But perhaps consistancy has no place in government. The President delights in bemoaning the generous impulse that prompted the 80th Congress to grant a small measure of income tax relief, yet he has never offered to pay tax on the $50,000 special tax-free yearly expense allowance he was granted on top of his $100,000 salary.

The Vice-President and Speaker of the House, who are paid $30,000 a year, also receive tax-free allowances of $10,000 each, and members of Congress voted themselves $2,500 allowances, free of income tax, in addition to their salaries of $12,500 per year. They have never voted similar tax-free privileges, however, for the peasantry.

It is doubtful that it was ever contemplated, when the 16th Amendmant permitting the Federal Government to levy income taxes was adopted, that specific individuals would be granted tax immunity. It is doubtful, too, if the Amendment would have been adopted at all, if Americans 40 years ago could have foreseen the heights at which the tax rates eventually would be pegged.

In 1913, when the first income tax law was enacted, the maximum rate was set at 7 percent. Last year, the combined normal and surtax rates on the largest incomes were more than 82 percent!

California's Senator Knowland has proposed a new Amendment to the Constitution which would establish an income tax limit of 50 percent., except during wartime. While the adoption of such an amendment wouldn't directly benefit the small income taxpayer, it would have a salutory effect on the country's economy.

Beyond question, the present high income tax rates discourage investment and new enterprise and thus retard new job opportunities. And heavy taxing of incomes by the Federal Government has made it increasingly difficult for State and local governments to find tax money for essential services, with the result that more and more local government functions are being absorbed by Washington, at greater cost and with less control by the people.

The Senator's Amendment should be adopted. Its chances for adoption might be improved if he would add a clause forbidding Congress to grant special tax-free exemptions to anyone, including members of Congress.

BROADWAY AND MAIN STREET

Handsome Is, Handsome Does: Case of Mind Over Mattress

By BILLY ROSE

At a spaghetti salon, I got to talking with a reformed bootlegger who is currently the Mister Big of a big whiskey company.

"What do you hear from the mob?" I asked. "Anything that would fill up three sheets of copy paper?"

The former Man of Extinction thought a minute. "There's one story I don't remember seeing in print," he said. "It's about an old man named Ronowitz who ran a candy store on the East Side around the time Dutch Schultz was buying his first delivery trucks. . . ."

One night as the storekeeper was about to lock up, a hoodlum stepped into the shop and pressed a gun against the old man's middle. "Hide me somewhere," he said.

Billy Rose

The old man knew better than to argue with a revolver. "Who's chasing you?" he asked, as he opened the trap door which led to the cellar.

"Some fellas from Jersey."

When they got to the basement, Ronowitz pointed to a couple of old mattresses near the coal bin. "Lay down," he said, "and I'll make a sandwich."

A minute later the storekeeper had rolled man and mattresses into a bundle and tied it up with a piece of old clothesline.

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AS HE STARTED back up to the store, a couple of men, guns in hand, came down the stairs. "Whatcha doin' in the cellar?" asked one.

"Bankin' the furnace," said the old man.

The gents from Jersey poked around in the trash barrels, examined the coal bin and then came to the rolled-up mattresses.

"I'll throw a bullet into them for luck," said one of them.

"You been seein' too many movies," said the other. "Let's try the roof."

The mobsters went upstairs and Ronowitz heard the door bang. He banked the fire, and waited in his store until he saw the men climb into a car and drive off. Then he went back down and untied the mattresses.

"You done fine, Pop," said the fugitive, taking a wad of bills out of his pocket. "Tell me when to stop countin'."

"Such money I don't take," said the old man.

"Ya kin have anything ya want," said the gangster. "Make a wish. Better yet, make three wishes like in them fairy stories."

"Well," said the storekeeper, "I hear in a couple weeks some guy from the West Side is opening a candy store on the next block."

"He ain't gonna open," said the hoodlum. "Keep talkin'."

"The man who sells me my chocolate syrup, all of a sudden he wants a 15 per cent mark-up."

"I'll discuss it with him. Chances are you'll get a reduction. One more wish to go—this time make it good."

"That's all I can think of," said Ronowitz, "excepting maybe you'd like to tell me how it felt when you was in the mattress."

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THE GANGSTER'S lips tightened. "You're makin' fun of me, Pop," he said, "and I don't like it. I wanted to pay ya off nice and proper, but since ya don't want it that way, maybe I better try some thin' else."

Ten minutes later, as per phone instructions from the hoodlum, a black car drove up and Ronowitz was pushed into the back seat. The car headed north and kept going until it parked near a wooden bridge somewhere in Westchester.

The driver took some chains from the luggage compartment, put a heavy piece of scrap iron on the old man's middle, and then lashed his legs to his chest so the metal was wedged in between.

"Throw him over when I count three," said the hoodlum.

"One—

"Two—"

The old man braced himself and wondered who would mind the store the next day.

Suddenly the gangster grinned. He walked over and began to undo the chains.

"Now you got your answer, Pop," he said. "That's how I felt when I was in the mattress."

GO TO CHURCH Sunday

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

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Rev. J. Morris Mulkey, Pastor

H6-0340

9:30 a.m.—Sunday School.

10:50 a. m.—Morning Worship.

6:30 p. m.—Training Union.

7:45—Evening Worship.

Next Thursday the N. M. U. will meet at 10 a. m. at the old building for a Royal Service Program. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon. At 1 p. m. the business meeting will be conducted by Mrs. John Blaine, president.

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LEMON GROVE LUTHERAN CHURCH

at Adventist Church, 2880 Main

W. LeRoy Elster, Pastor

Telephone Main 4-2690.

Sunday, March 19

9:30 a. m.—Sunday School.

10:00 a. m.—Adult Bible class.

10:45 a.m.—Worship Service.

Sermon Topic: "Food for the Soul."

7:00 p.m.—Bible study and Prayer meeting at parsonage on Sunday.

Choir practice will be held at the parsonage, 6620 McArthur drive on Thursday eve at 7:00.

The Junior Choir will practice at the parsonage on Wednesday at 3:45 p. m.

Guests are always welcome.

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Confessions heard on Saturday 4:00 to 5:30 and 7:30 to 9:00 p.m.

Mondays, 7:30 p.m.—Legion of Mary meets in the rectory.

Tuesdays and Fridays, 7:30 p. m.—Information forums at the rectory.

Wednesdays, 7:45 p.m.—Novena devotions in the church.

Saturdays, 9 a.m.—Catechism for public school children, in the school.

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FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Corner of Main and Church Sts.

Dan Apra, Pastor

Homeland 6-8758

Sunday, March 19

Sermon subject: "The Lord is My Refuge and Strength."

9:15—First worship service.

Sermon topic: "A Call to Lenten Loyalty."

9:15—Junior Church

9:40—Classes, nursery through fourth grade.

10:10—Classes, 5th grade through adult department.

11:00—Second morning service.

11:00—Primary Church service in Friendship Hall.

11:20—Classes, nursery through third grade.

7:00—High School Pilgrim Fellowship.

7:30-9:30—Senior High and College Age Pilgrim Service.

Los Amigos will serve a chick-7:30 p. m. Members are selling tickets or reservations may be made by calling Mrs. H. La Shell, H6-3680, or church office, H6-en pie dinner Friday from 5:30 to 8758. Children's tickets are also being sold.

The second choir, under the direction of DeWitt Mytinger, will present a concert, on Friday of next week in Friendship Hall.

The Golden Circle will meet at a pot luck dinner Tuesday at 6:30 p. m. at the Lawrence Herder home, 7052 Central avenue.

Los Amigos will meet next Tuesday at 7:30 in Friendship Hall. A movie of Adm. Bird's Antarctic expedition will be a feature of the program.

A tea will be given for the Board of Education at the home of Mrs. Blanche Pierce, 8061 Palm Ave., on Sunday at 3:30.

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VISTA LA MESA CHRISTIAN CHURCH

University at Massachusetts

Russell Hensley, Minister

H 6.2217

9:30—Classes for all ages.

10:45—Morning Worship.

Sermon topic: "The Repentant Robber."

Elmer Brown will be guest soloist.

7:30 p. m.—Open Your Bible to Luke 12.

Each member is to bring a neighbor to this "Open Bible" series.

About 25 men of the church are hosts to the San Diego Laymen's League this (Thursday) evening at a steak dinner at 6:30, prepared by the Fellowship Class. An address will be given by Mark Rutherford, national director of Layman's Work. Milton Aney, State director, will also be present.

Other activities of the week included a meeting of the committee on Evangelism on Sunday afternoon. Official Board meeting, Monday evning; a surprise birthday party for Rev. Hensley on Tuesday evening following choir practice; and the Parent-Worker's Training School session Wednesday evening.

Newly elected officers of the Christian Youth (high school) Fellowship are: Norma Shadinger, president; Virginia Lurcook, vice president; Carol Hasek, secretary Gary Schickentanz, treasurer.

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SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

Charles H. Betz, Minister

H 6.9632

9:30 a.m.—Saturday, Bible School.

Mrs. A. C. Jacobson, Supt.

11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.

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9:30 a.m.—Sunday School

11:00 a.m.—Church Services.

Wednesday evening service at 8.

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LA PRESA COMMUNITY CHURCH

Jamacha Road, Spring Valley

L. E. Knudsen, Pastor

9:30 a. m.—Sunday School.

10:45 a. m.—Morning Worship.

6:30 p. m.—Christian Endeavor

7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship.

Talks and Walks With Mother Nature

BY TRIXIE TREGANZA

THE SHRIKE

Good morning, Mr. Shrike, says Mother Nature as she coms down the road all garbed in Fairy Sunshine. See him there on the fence post, the pretty gray uniform with white vest and white lapels on his shirt sleeves. His dark head seems sort of flat and his shoulders are all hunched up, just slip up close to him and you will see his thick, strong bill, hooked and toothed and notched just like a saw. Notice his strong feet, too. He is really a deminutive bird of prey. He is bad and bold. He is one of my gunman, one of my executioners who are very necessary when the mobs of English Sparrows and Linnits and House Finches defile my laws and disregard my mandates. But he also likes lizards, and mice and grasshoppers and will often rummage through the garden hunting for cutworms and ground beetles.

Mr. Shrike is sly and cunning and ofttimes attempts to act coquettish like little Miss Linnit and even imitates her lovely warbling song. Uninvited, he will drop down into a crowd of Sparrows who are arguing over some disputed morsel, and presto, he has nabbed one by the neck and flies away to his shop where he hangs it up on a hook and awaits his appetite. For Mr. Shrike keeps a butcher shop in some thorn bush where like some terrible ogre he brings a hapless victim and impales it on thorns, then off again in quest of other kinds of meat for his shop. His voice is harsh and shrill, and sometimes he even startles himself by giving utterance to a musical note that has a musical sound.

Mrs. Shrike looks just like Mr. Shrike and is equally daring. She builds her nest sometimes high sometimes low, in a briar hedge or cactus full of thorns. A rather bulky nest with a carefully laid platform of coarse sticks lined with soft downy materials. She will travel many miles for favored bits of sheep wool, and not finding any will pick up enough fleecy feathers from the chicken yard. Occasionally she will decorate her nest with bits of string, bits of paper or pieces of cloth. Her four to seven eggs of grayish blue spotted with light brown and purple, in due time bring forth the same number of wide mouthed, hungry, peeping naked babies who must be fed so many, many times a day.

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About People You Know

Doris Chappelle
Phone H6-8115

Mrs. S. B. Imbler, King St., returned Friday from a six-week visit in the East.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lowney, 2131 Dayton Dr., entertained at Canasta Saturday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Carl David.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Roberts, of Los Angeles, came Saturday because of the illness of their granddaughter, Mary Frances Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Vestal, 1655 Skyline, took their new boat and went fishing on the Colorado River above Laguna Dam over the weekend. They brought back several nice fish.

Mrs. O. F. Dunford, 7551 Roosevelt Ave., left Tuesday morning via plane for Oakland to spend a week in the home of her son-in-law and daughter to make the acquaintance of her new granddaughter.

Mrs. E. M. Beidleman, 8240 Alton, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. George W. Woodburn at their home in Los Angeles. Mr. and Mrs. Woodburn brought Mrs. Beidleman home Sunday for an overnight visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Antonetti, 7049 Central, gave a dinner and Canasta party Saturday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Donald M. Rinker, Mr. and Mrs. Art Chappelle, David and Patricia Rinker and Carol Lee Antonetti.

Mrs. Louis Otten of La Mesa entertained the Lemonette Bridge Club Tuesday afternoon. Those present were Mesdames Lee Butterfield, Robert Castiglia, Arthur Chappelle, Alex Antonetti, Paul Duley, Al Huebsch and H. A Annderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Neuerberg, 3305 Buena Vista, spent a week at their desert home near Desert Center. They said the desert flowers are nearly all in bloom and there is much scenic beauty to be seen this time of year both in the valley and in the desert.

The Pinochle Club was received at the home of Mrs. Hank Embry, 2151 El Dora, last Friday evening. Refreshments and appointments carried out the St. Patrick's motif. Prizes were won by Mrs. Leslie Kerner and Mrs. Robert Kreger. Others present were Mesdames Millie Parker Peter Hoffman, Billy Forrester, Frank Cummings and Larry Leach.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Clarke, formerly of 3718 Harris, now residing in Chula Vista, were given a house warming Sunday. A pot-luck dinner was enjoyed and they received many lovely gifts for their new home. Those attending were Messrs. and Mesdames Joe Queen, Carl Chesser, Jack Hillhouse, Richard Cole and family, R. L. Parsons, Truett Thornton and Bill Keener.

Friends gave Mrs. Russell Hewitt, 1680 Skyline, a surprise party on her birthday last Tuesday. They brought two cakes, and ice cream and coffee were served. Games were enjoyed with prizes. Those attending were Mrs. Hewitt's two sisters, Mrs. John Clint and Mrs. Roy Key of San Diego, and Mrs. Ben Vestal, and Mrs. Frank Newman, Mrs. Margaret Holcomb and Walt Collum.

Tim Stone Has Happy Birthday

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Stone, 3574 Buena Vista, were happily surprised on Saturday forenoon when friends and relatives gathered at their home to help Mr. Stone observe his 79th birthday. A sumptuous buffet luncheon was served which included a beautifully decorated birthday cake. Mr. Stone received many nice gifts. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hastings, Miss Esther Hastings, Chief and Mrs. Martin McGee and three daughters, Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson, of National City; Mr. and Mrs. James Burlston, Mrs. Merle Higby, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Seeley of El Cajon, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Hathaway of San Diego, Mrs. T. O. Olson, of La Mesa, Mr. and Mrs. James Porter of Eminshue Valley and Mr. and Mrs. John Warner. Many other friends called during the afternoon.

Observe Golden Wedding Anniversary

Honoring Mr. and Mrs. Henry Seipp on their 50th wedding anniversary, their daughter Mrs. L. O. Cedarwall, 2905 Buena Vista held a reception on Sunday at their home. Refreshments were served from three to five, which included a tiered wedding cake with a golden bell on top. Eighty-five guests came to offer them congratulations.

A family dinner party was held at Valle's Tuesday evening, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Seipp. Others included were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Cedarwall and sons, Allan, Phillip and Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Cedarwall and Miss Helen Cedarwall.

Cub Scout News

Regular Cub Scout meeting will be held March 17 at the Community center at 7:30 p. m. Main feature of the program will be a lecture on Arabia by Ernest Chambers who will illustrate the lecture with colored slides taken while he was stationed in Arabia. Three prizes will be awarded to each of the six dens for the best three pictures taken by the Cubs. There is a great need for den mothers and anyone interested may call Harry Dedrick, H 6-1404 or Hans Ahrensberg, H 6-3509.

Den 1 of Cub Scouts met at the home of Mrs. L. O. Cedarwall, 2906 Buena Vista, last week and a birthday party honoring Allan Cedarwall on his 11th birthday was enjoyed by the pack. Refreshments were served. Boys attending were Leonard Blotten, Harold Gasner, Larry and Lee Hutton, Michael Sauder, Barney and Fred Tumey, John Blaine, Charles Chilles, Eugene Bartlett, Tommy Krause, Buddy and John Tackett, John Mulkey and Roger Humphrey.

SCHOOL NEWS

Monterey Heights School

The Monterey Heights P.T.A. attendence prize was won last week by Mrs. See's second grade room. To decide what to do with the money, the children voted by ballot on the many suggestions offered, and the majority favored purchasing an aquarium. They have brought marbles and shells for it, and Paul Fitzgerald presented the class with fish for their new project. Lloyd and Leon Hawkins brought snails and grass, thus completing the "furnishings" of the new aquarium.

Signs of spring have been the center of interest this past week in Mrs. Kennedy's third grade class. The children have been bringing evidence of their observations to class. To give a spring like appearance and atmosphere to the room, Karol Rife brought flowers for the girls to wear in their hair. Sandra Nichols and Martha Chambers brought necklaces and bracelets made from pussy willows.

Last Thursday, Mrs. Holmes fourth graders, with several parents, visited Mission San Diego de Alcala and Presidio Park. Through their study of California Missions, the class had learned that the old San Diego Mission was the seed from which the Missions blossomed. When the children rang the Mission bell, they thought of a verse that they had learned:

"Old Mission Bells, Old Mission Bells,
Bring back, ring back, old mission times;
Say not that Serra served in vain,
His work still stands, and will remain."

Rosemary Pearles, a fifth grader in Mrs. Babington's class, was rushed to the La Mesa Community Hospital for an appendectomy. Her classmates and teachers wish her a speedy recovery.

The Monterey Heights sixth grade received new tools for use in woodcraft work. They also received a new stand for the encyclopedia set. The stand is movable, thus permitting it to be shared among the classes.

The highlight in the kindergarten during the past few weeks was a birthday party at school for Danny Bridger. The entire class enjoyed ice cream and cup cakes.

Among the chief interests in their work in the kindergarten has been the making of bows and arrows and flags made from slender twigs found in nearby canyons.

In the science corner, butterflies and grasshoppers have been the center of interest. Juanita Jones and Harold Roach were fortunate enough to catch butterflies, but Larry Volby has been the only one lucky enough to catch a grasshopper.

Vista La Mesa School

Ben I. Shei, principal of Vista La Mesa School and Mrs. Shei, attended the California Teachers Association meeting, Southern Section, at Los Angeles on Saturday, and following the meeting, drove to San Bernardino to attend the Orange Festival. Mr. Shei reports that they enjoyed the many beautiful exhibits.

Mrs. Jessie Snell and the children of the Vista La Mesa second grade recently enjoyed a visit to the Lemon Grove posteffice, where they learned how mail is cared for, how delivered, how to stamp letters, and the various ways in which incorrectly addressed letters are handled.

Junior High School

The Easter edition of the school newspaper of the Lemon Grove School, Th Grover, will make its appearance during the last week of March, just prior to vacation.

Many new students have joined the staff of the paper for this second semester. Margaret Darroch, faculty sponsor of the paper has announced the revised staff for the remaining months of this term:

Editor, William Bame; Associate editors, Suzanne Holahan, Sally Thibeault; Make Up, Robert Turnbull; Exchange, Jim Pratt; Music, Bob Atkins; Business Manager, Richard Skrivanek; Circulation Managers, Cecelia Iyons, Ivajean Curtis; Boys sports, Roger Conlee, Jay Elston; Girls sports, Anna Castellanos, Maxine Oyos, Josephine Sotello; Club, Tommy Taylor; Art, Bobby Simpson; Art assistants, Patty Avery, Karl Jordan, Jerry Tucker; Rewrite, Bonny Gregory, Mercedes Alvarez; Proofreaders, Judson Bowers, Nancy Parsons, Lila Miles; Humor, DuWayne Butler, Ronald McGuire; Reporters, Bernadette Medina, Diane Cassell, Betty Campbell, Martin Small, Fred Tooze, Barbara Willoughby, Charlotte Waterman, Katherine Bottini, Judy Phillips, Joan Lewis.

Physical Education Playoffs

By Roger Conlee

On Thursday and Friday, playoffs on boys' volley tennis were held during the physical education classes. The results of the games directed by Coaches Barney Davis, Fabian Egan and Mel Frailey are as follows:

Eighth grade, playing regular volley ball, Captain Monty Ostberg captured first place with Briann Bowers, Paul Maschner, and Manuel Lara.

Second place was won by Dudley Roach, Donald Lindsley, Dale Brannon, Steve Batchelder and Bernard Griggs.

Archie Stalnaker's team grabbed third place with players berg, Bobby Fields, Fred Walter and Art Sutorus.

The seventh grade played volley tennis. "Gordo" Hedberg Petie Homan, George Hoover, Dacid Denison, and Jim Pratt won first place.

Second place honors were taken by Jerry Tucker, Henry Bonilla, Richard Herrara, Jack Shelnutt and Dick Dedrick.

Tommy Shafer's squad placed third with Jack Carroll, Richard Denton, Jerry Johnson and Richard Secore.

Track and field are next on the boys' physical education program.

The following boys, in recognition of the splendid work done on Junior Traffic Patrol, will be the guests Saturday of John van Gilse at his Grove Theatre: David Arnott, Danny O'Donnell, James Swinney, Martin Small, Ronald Netzley, Travis Keeton, Billy Vaughn, Gary Shoemaker, Billy Carman, John Peoples, Stephen Batchelder and Stephan Griggs.

Mrs. Darroch's homeroom group, the 7-4 class, held a bake-sale today, (Thursday) during the noon hour at the junior high. Cakes, pies and candies were offered to the student body. This sale is part of a class endeavor for raising funds for spring activities of the group. Gloria Jones, Shirley Lohf, Darleen Chambers, Barbara Balch, and Wanda Turner acted as sales ladies. Tommy Taylor, Johnny Lovett and Jerry Tucker were in charge of advertising. Jim Pratt, class treasurer, handled the funds received. All committee members reported the sale a huge success.

On Tuesday of last week, Mrs. Paxton's fourth grade class made a most interesting and educational trip to the San Diego Mission, the old dam and Presidio Park. This trip climaxed a unit of study of California Missions. Guides gave valuable information about many points of interest.

Four room mothers, Mrs. Cannon, Mrs. Markuson, Mrs. Cederwall, and Mrs. Palmer took the children in their cars.

Miss Lavancha Bauman, chairman of the recent March of Dimes drive in the Lemon Grove Schools has announced that over $480 was contributed by the students of the District, including Lemon Grove, Monterey Heights and Vista La Mesa schools.

Where Your Money Goes

Do you ever wonder, specifically, what happens to the contributions that you make each year to Red Cross? You hear about Red Cross working in disasters all across the country, but maybe you've been lucky enough not to get caught in a disaster. You hear that Red Cross acts as a link between the man in service and his family at home, helping to solve problems and work out difficulties. nt maybe you don't even know anyone in service now. You'd like to know what Red Cross does right here in San Diego County.

One thing Red Cross does right here is to offer free courses in health and safety education. If prospective dads, as well as your youngster was one among the 15,000 who were taught to swim in the county last summer, the instructor he had was trained by Red Cross.

Home Care of the Sick, and classes in Mother and Baby Care are given by registered nurses trained by Red Cross. The baby classes are co-educational too, prospective dads, as well as mothers, take them. One San San Diego couple said if the fee for the course had been $100 they would gladly have paid it. But it was free because of public support of the annual Red Cross appeal for funds.

There's no telling how many lives have been saved because there was someone on hand who understood First Aid. One Red Cross First Aid instructor travels 165 miles each week to instruct a group in Campo. And many of her students come as far as 35 miles to take the instruction.

Many livess have also been saved by blood from our Community Blood Bank. Every donor of that blood was recruited by Red Cross. Since the Blood Bank opened two years ago, more than 22,000 pints of blood have been delivered to the 14 hospitals in the county. More than half of that blood was used to save the lives of mothers and babies. Donors must be registered and record kept, so it takes money as well as blood to carry on an aperation of that size.

An average of 15 pints are given each month to persons in Lemon Grove, representing a cost of $5400 in one year if paid for at $30 per pint. This service has been free.

Navy men stationed in this area are frequent donors at the Blood Bank. One group of six men came in to repay for plasma which saved a comrade when he was critically injured aboard ship in the Bering Sea enroute from Point Barrow, Alaska, to San Diego.

Camp Fire Girls and Blue Birds

Three Camp Fire groups, Iyopta, Waditika and Wiyannah, with their leaders, Mrs. Joe Young, Mrs Ed Sonka and Mrs. Helen Nelson, met at the Community Center Monday to practice their music and dance program which will be given as part of the 1950 Birthday project, Saturday at the Horace Mann auditorium. All girls in these groups will take active part in the program in which city and county groups are participating.

Blue Bird News

The Happy Hour Blue Birds met at the home of their leader, Mrs. Blalock, in Monterey Heights Monday afternoon. They enjoyed a story hour, concerning St. Patrick's Day, after which games were played. The girls are busy making pictures for a Camp Fire Poster project.

A new group of Blue Birds met and organized at the home of Mrs. Schlicht, who will be their leader, with Mrs. Ira Olinie as assistant. The girls selected for their group name, "Cups of Gold," each girl selecting a floral name for herself. A group picture was taken for their scrap books. The girls also selected officers. Aftr the meeting they made toll house cookies and played games. Two more girls may join this group, so anyone interested please call H 6.0656 and Mrs. Schlicht will be glad to give any information wanted.

Calendar of Events

AT GROSSMONT HIGH

March 17—Adult Education exhibit in auditorium.
March 18—Baseball; Point Loma at Grossmont.
March 21—Track Meet: San Diego at Grosmont.
March 21—Base ball: La Jolla at Grossmont.
March 25—Senior banquet.
March 31—Base ball: St. Augustine at Grossmont.
April 3 to 9—Spring vacation.
April 11—Grade reports.
April 11—Base ball: Pasadena at Grossmont.
April 11—Track meet Pasadena at Grossmont.
April 15—Track met: Hoover at Grossmont.
April 18—Track meet: Compton at Grossmont.
April 23 to 30—Public Schools week.
April 27—P.T.A. meeting.
April 28—Base ball: San Diego at Grossmont.
May 5—Baseball: Compton at Grossmont.
May 6—Base ball: Muir at Grossmont.
May 19—Junior-Senior prom at 8:30 p. m.
May 26—Spring concert.
June 2—Orchestra concert.
June 9—Music concert.
June 11—Baccalaureate.
June 16—Last day of school.
June 17—Commencement exercises, Mt. Helix amphitheatre. 4:30 p. m.

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History of Famed Mormon Battalion

By John Davidson
Director, San Diego Historical Society

While St. Patrick's Day is observed with religious fervor in St. Patrick's, Mo., the only town in the United States bearing the name of the great Irishman, and by the children of St. Patrick's School in San Diego, this city has a special reason to commemorate the date, March 17.

It was on that date in 1847 that Company B of the famed Mormon Battalion marched into Old San Deigo to form the garrison of the barracks at Fort Stockton, relieving a detachment of dragoons under Lieut George Stoneman, later a governor of California. While in San Diego, Company B. inaugurated one of San Diego's first public works programs, grading streets, building sidewalks, digging wells, and whitewashing public buildings. Their crowning work was the construction of a little courthouse and School, paid for by public subscription, out of brick which they burned themselves. They also organized in their Fort Stockton barracks, San Diego's first class in adult education.

The little two-room building they erected at a corner of the Plaza was later used as a courthouse, town hall, public meeting place, Masonic temple, church, and headquarters of the Mexican-American International Boundary Commission. It was destroyed in the famous Old Town Fire of 1872.

When the Mormon Battalion was mustered out of the service, a select group of her veterans was mustered into a special 6-month company to garrison San Diego until the regular Army could take over. Jesse B. Hunter was captain of Company B., and was later the Indian Agent at San Luis Rey. Daniel C. Davis was Captain of the special 6-month company. The latter was discharged at San Diego on March 14, 1848. One week later 25 of these men under the leadership of Henry G. Boyle left San Diego and marched overland to Salt Lake City, arriving there on June 5.

While Company B. was garrisoned at Fort Stockton, Mrs. Lydia Hunter, the wife of Captain Jesse Hunter, gave birth to the first white child of American parents to be born in San Diego. He was named Diego Hunter, for his native town. His mother died the 26th of April, 1847, and was the first American to be interred in what was later known as the Protestant Cemetary at La Playa.

The Mormon Battalion of 500 men was mustered into service at Council Bluffs, Iowa, July 16, 1846; left Leavenworth, Kans. on August 12; arrived at Santa Fe October 9, where Lt.-Col. Cooke assumed command; Left Santa Fe October 19; entered Tucson on December 16; spent Christmas Eve in the Gila Villages; crossed the Colorado into California through Box Canyon January 19; and arrived at San Diego January 29, 1847, after a 2000 mile march across the desert and the wilderness—the longest sustained march of infantry on record. On January 30, Col Phillip St. George Cooke issued a glowing commendation to the Battalion for its historic accomplishment.

Complete rosters of Co. B and the 6-month Co. are on file. Any one filing historical stories on San Diego may have the copy sent to the Review.

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Fourth Know Your Schools Series

The fourth in a series of "Know Your Schools" discussions will be held on Tuesday evening, March 21, at 7:30 in the Lemon Grove School cafeteria for parents and other interested persons of the school district. Administrative procedures will be discussed by representatives of all schools in the district.

Ben Shei, principal of Vista La Mesa School, will discuss all types of record keeping; W. Arthur Thomas, principal of the Monterey Heights School, will speak on discipline and behavior problems, and S. K. Solleder, Director of Education, will discuss individual differences, including grouping and testing.

Mrs. S. K. Solleder, chairman of the Lemon Grove P.T.A. Parent Study Group, which is sponsoring this series of meetings, urges all members of our community to be present for this instructional and enjoyable presentation.

OBSERVE SILVER WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Mathews, 2175 El Dora, observed their Silver wedding anniversary Thursday evening, their guests being Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Collins of El Cajon. They are also expecting their son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. John F. Mathews, Jr., of Los Angeles, and Mr and Mrs. Charles H. Harris, of San Francisco, who were their attendants at their wedding 25 years ago.

INSTALLS WATER SOFTENER

Billy Jeans Lemon Grove Beauty Shop has installed a water softener so that better service may be given in the care of the patron's hair.

Cloyed Out for Strict Economy

Determined opposition to any legislation proposals that would result in increased taxes in California was voiced this week by Assemblyman Ralph R. Cloyed of Chula Vista. The legislator returned to the State Capitol Monday after the weekend at his home to file for re-election to the Assembly.

Pointing out that the Governor's call for the current special session has opened the door for introduction of measures to support such revenue-consuming subjects as child care centers, school financing and pensions, Cloyed declared:

"The taxpayers of this state are currently saddled with a budget in excess of $1,000,000,000 and the Governor is now proposing $971,616,000 for the coming year. I no not intend to support any bills that will increase this burden."

Cloyed added:

"On the contrary, I feel that if strict economy is practiced by the legislature in reviewing the Governor's budget, it will be possible to lighten the tax load."

The 18-point special session agenda would also permit the legislature to act on such potentially costly items as an expanded State public works program and unemployment relief.

The Governor's budget includes a mere $2,500,000 cushion to absorb increased state services. He has indicated that he will oppose any bills calling for additional expenditures unless they are accompanied by new taxes to finance them.

MAIL ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES

at Lemon Grove postoffice

6:30 a.m. to La Mesa, Spring Valley, El Cajon, Lakeside, Ramona, Julian.
12:30 p.m. to Lakeside to Jacumba.
6:15 p.m. to La Mesa and El Cajon.
9:45 a.m., 4:45 p.m., 8:00 p.m. to San Diego and all northern and eastern points.

Mail arrives in Lemon Grove at times noted above.

Forward Club

"No Substitute" will be the subject of an address by Herbert Peiffer, Ph.D., Dean of Students at San Diego State College, when he addresses the Forward Club, at 2:30 o'clock next Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Ted Haaf, president, will conduct the business meeting at 2 p. m. Past presidents who will be honored include Mesdames C. H. Shellbach, J. William Fisher, Marmaduke Eckles, Rena Wright, Edna Thorn Provost, F. B. Wright, L. D. Newton, M. A. Beddoe, Wm. P. Donovan, J. H. Miller, J. E. Sonka, T. J. Mohinari, Wm. A. Massey, H. Irving Vernier, George B. Loveday, E. B. Oberlitner, E. F. Barker and Ted Haaf.

Mrs. H. Irving Vernier will give a report on her recent interview in Washington, D. C. with Mrs. J. L. Blair Buck, President of the General Federation of Women's Clubs. Mrs. Vernier will bring a personal message from Mrs. Buck to the Forward Club.

The Board elected for nominating committee: Mrs. George B. Loveday, chairman, Mrs. E. F. Barker, Mrs. Wm. Massey, Mrs. E. B. Oberlitner, Mrs. Fred B. Wright.

Hostesses will be Mrs. E. F. Barker, chairman, Mrs. B. L. Netzley and Mrs. Lawrence Herder.

The Book Section meeting with Mrs. Hannah Abbott on Friday at 2 p. m., will hear a review of "Fifty Years in Starch" by Mrs. J. E. Butler who took nurses' training under the author, Anne Williamson.

The Garden Section will discuss the "Lily Family" at the home of Mrs. E. D. Snare, 7240 Madison, Lemon Grove, at 2 p. m.

The Drama Section will meet with Mrs. S. A. Read, 7895 Mt. Vernon at 1 p. m., next Wednesday. Play whitinb will be under discussion.

Boy Scout Pool Will Open Soon

It won't be long now!

Beginning April 1, the San Diego Area Council will open the gates to its new swimming pool in the Balboa Park headquarters area for weedend swims, an event the 8444 Cubs, Scouts and Explorers have been looking forward to, ever since the first shoveful of dirt was scooped out of the ground.

Formal dedication of the elaborate Scout swimming area has been set for the evening of Friday, April 21, with the swimming team of the San Diego Red Cross Chapter putting on a water carnival under the direction of Herb Knight.

The new pool is 75 by 42 feet, and is equipped with under water lights and a battery of overhead lights for night swims. Alongside the South side of the pool is a cement stand for up to 400 spectators at water shows, and underneath is the latest in filtering equipment, assuring a complete change of water every six to eight hours.

Current plans call for daily swimming during the summer months with the mornings devoted to instruction, the afternoons to general swim sessions and the evenings to special Cub, Scout, and Explorer swimming parties by units.

Local Scout plans for the National Jamboree at Valley Forge Pa., June 30 to July 6, are rapidly taking shape under the direction of Jamboree chairman Henry Parker.

To date, 43 Scouts have registered to make the 9000-mile scenic trip to Jamboree, and four leaders have been selected.

Leaders for the San Diego contingent include Don C. Leonard, Clarence L. McCabe, David D. Porter and William R. Adams.

Training of Census Takers Starts Soon

No additional applications for employment as enumerators in the 17th Decennial Census will be accepted, it was announced today by Edmond E. LaCasse, District Supervisor for the United States Bureau of Census here. Nearly all of the 523 enumerators positions for the San Diego County Census District have been filled after oral and written tests of applicants. Tests were made Monday and Tuesday to fill out the remainder needed. More than 1800 persons filed applications.

Training of the enumerators will begin about March 27 under the direction of 30 crew leaders, each of whom will be responsible for about 20 enumerators. In addition to training the enumerators, these crew leaders will supervise their work in the field and check their reports for accuracy and completeness. The crew leaders in turn report to Census District Supervisor Edmond E. LaCasse. These have already been selected and are now in training for the job to begin April 1.

Edith Beers is the crew leader for Lemon Grove.

An ad. in the Review gets results

Grossmont PTA Elects Officers

Mrs. Edward S. Strong, of La Mesa, was elected president of Grossmont P.T.A., at the annual meeting held recently at the high school. She was installed by Mrs. Byron Netzley, president of Mt. Helix Council, who also installed the following officers: Mesdames J. G. Durham, B. S. Conrad, George Clark, Paul Harvey, and Carl Ferlazzo, vice-presidents; Mrs. Roy Churchill, secretary; Mrs. George Wessels, treasurer; Mrs. Frank Dyson, auditor; Mrs. Hall Williams, historian, Mrs. C .C. Cooper, parliamentarian and jr. past president.

Grossmont Verse Choir, 36 mixed students, under the direction of Miss Beulah Schriver recited rhythmic poems, comedy and dramatic, to the pleasure of the audience including "Mule and Man" and the "Twenty-fourth Psalm."

A panel subject, "How can High School and P.T.A. Better Serve Youth" with moderator Grant Rahn, secondary co-ordinator of San Diego County Schools, placed school-developed student personality and educators under fire by parents, Mrs. Vernon Clapp and Hart Dunham. Placed parents, teachers, and community apathy under fire by teachers, Miss Ethel Prosser and Robert Cordry; and placed pleas for more active parent and teacher consultation and for more emphasis on religious and moral training in home by students, Lois Ford and Gary Tolley.

The business meeting included a student loan fund set-up, a delegate to be sent to convention of California Congress of Parents and Teachers in Santa Cruz, May 3-5. Expressions of appreciation were made by Mrs. Cooper, outgoing president.

The hostesses for the social hour were Mrs. Vere Brunson, Mrs. Earl Irey and Mrs. Orwin Wood.

Local Students on Honor Roll

One student from Lemon Grove and two from Spring Valley are included on San Diego College's first semi-annual honor roll, announced today by Dr. Ernest Marchand, chairman of the Faculty Honors Committee.

Students from this area among the 220 on the list are Paul L. Johnson, senior, 7514 Broadway, Lemon Grove, and Lou Anna Bauer, Rt. 1, Box 1167, and Richard G. Milligan, Junior, Rt. 1, Box 1062, both of Spring Valley.

To qualify for the honor roll, students had to maintain a grade point average of 2.50 or better for 12 or more units of work during the fall semester. This minimum is half way between an "A" (3.00) and a "B" (2.00) average.

Before this the college has announced honor students only among the graduating seniors at Commencement, but hereafter an all-college honor roll will be announced each semester, according to Dr. Marchand.

Rules Set Up for Community Center

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and shall be uniform for all classes of users. The fund shall be remitted to the County Auditor-Controller not later than the 10th of each month.

In the event that funds derived from the use of the building exceeds the expenditures in any one year, the control board may ask the Board of Supervisors to appropriate the money toward the purchase of equipment for the building, or for construction of additions thereto.

Groups and organizations desiring to use the building shall make a written request to the Executive Committee for the use of same, and must pay the regular fee even though they do not use it on the date requested, upless such request is cancelled one week in advance of scheduled use.

Any group using the building and kitchen shall be responsible for all equipment used, and shall leave the building and kitchen cleaned properly. Any equipment damaged or destroyed must be paid for or replaced by the group responsible.

Any group violating the above rule shall be forbidden the use of the building for one month, and if the violations continue, may be refused further use of the building.

The final rule: "It shall be the duty of each organization so using the building to see that the building is properly secured; that is, all doors and windows locked, all lights out, all water and gas turned off, cigaret butts extinguished, etc."

Copies of the regulations are being posted in the Chamber of Commerce on Main street and also in the Community Center building.

FREE MOVIE PASSES

Read the want ads in the Review. If you find your name there come to the Review office, 7812 Broadway, and you will be given two free passes to the Grove Theatre.

Scout Camporee at Pendleton

Boy Scouts of San Diego Area Council will get a taste of Marine Corps hospitality as well as some outstanding camping the week-end of May 20 and 21, as Camp Pendleton plays host for a Council-wide Scout Camporee.

Some 1500 Scouts are expected to pitch their camps within the Marine base the morning of Armed Forces Day, May 20, the same day that the Armed Forces in this area stage a parade and review of military equipment at Pendleton. At the invitation of General Erskine, commanding officer, the Scouts will view the spectacle.

In addition, the Marines are furnishing a special program for the Scouts including an air demonstration and the dropping of implements by parachute. Saturday evening the Scouts will be treated to a special show, also staged by the Marines.

The regular judging of Scoutcraft and camping will be made with awards going to the units demonstrating outstanding skills.

Prior to the Camp Pendleton Camporee, the several districts of the Scout Council will hold preparatory camporees for training purposes. It will be advisable for a Scout Troop or Explorer Post to either attend one of the preparatory camporees or hold a troop camp along the same lines. Only those units that participate in preliminary camps will be expected to attend the Camporee at Camp Pendleton.

The Council Camporee is under the direction of Dr. Paul R. Brust, Council camping and activities chairman, assisted by N. W. Bouley, camping chairman of Balboa District.

To honor Mr. and Mrs. John F. Mathews on their Silver wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bolden, 2020 El Dora street, are receiving at an elaborately appointed St. Patrick's party Friday evening. The affair adso honors the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Bolden and Leroy Simms of Lemon Grove. Irish games will be played after which refreshments will be served with the St. Patricks motif carried out in the menu and appointments. Others present will be Mr. and Mrs. Jack Leach of National City; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Calder of El Cajon; Mrs. Louis Tufford, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Incaccia and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Price of San Diego, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Harris of San Francisco and Mrs. Simms.

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Gifts from the Heart for ARC

Soliciting funds for Red Cross sometimes brings forth very heartwarming reactions. One volunteer, Mrs. Thomas Goff, wife of the Red Cross field director in charge of this area, was much troubled when a three-year-old girl, listening to her conservation with her mother, ran from the room to get her contribution. It turned out to be three pennies clutched in a sticky fist, but it was all the child's worldly wealth and very much a "gift from the heart."

In the mail received at San Diego Chapter headquarters in Balboa Park this week was an envelope postmarked St. Paul, Minn. Inside was a dollar bill and letter written not too well, on the typewriter. It said: "Dear Friends, the drive for funds for our Red Cross is on. It is so very little that I have to give but I do want that gift, even though small, to go to San Diego Chapter, American Red Cross, which did so very much for my comfort and happiness while there."

Then the writer goes on to say that she heard about the recreation center for the blind in San Diego, and when she called there was told that Red Cross would transport her to the center if she had no one to bring her. Through the Red Cross Motor Service she was able to enjoy the programs and activities available for the blind. The letter ends:

"Please accept my small token of appreciation, and my prayer is that the people of this wonderful America will give generously to the American Red Cross. May God bless each and every one who are doing so very much where there is need. My grateful thanks to my friends, the ladies of the San Diego Chapter, American Red Cross.

K. C. Young, Executive Secretary of the San Diego County Medical Society, today issued a reminder that April 15 is the deadline for the Third Annual National Essay Contest sponsored by the society and the American Association of Physicians and Surgeons on "Why the Private Practice of Medicine Furnishes This Country With the Finest Medical Care."

The contest is open to all Junior and Senior High School students in public and parochial schools. Study material is available at the office of the Medical Society, 101 Medico-Dental Building, San Diego, where further information on the contest may also be obtained.

Tht three County winners will be awarded prizes of $15, $10, $5, and will be entered in the national finals where the prizes totaling $1675 are offered.

In 1948, Miss Ruth Haisser of Hoover High School, San Diego, won sixth prize in the national finals and Miss Norma I. Roeder from Snyder Continuation School, San Diego, repeated by winning the same prize in 1949.

Building Permits

A. W. Lapping, residence addition, Quary Rd., 96 sq. ft., $480.

R. P. Foran, residence, 7650 Madison, 1335 sq. ft., $7000.00.

M. C. Hathaway, 2 residences, Pacific St., 1350 sq. ft. ea., $6100.

Lyle Stumbaugh, residence addition, Grove St., 168 sq. ft., $500.

Mrs. J. G. Cox, duplex, 3305-07 New Jersey, $7000.

H. C. Matthews, residence, 3715 Hilltop, 1526 sq. ft., $9200.

Mobelhome Corp., residence, 1940 Skyline Dr., 1348 sq. ft., $8700.

H. C. Stubbs, residence, Mallard St., 1050 sq. ft. $6500.

David Archibald, residence, 1690 Dupont, 1114 sq. ft..

A. H. Osterberg, residence, Circle Dr., 1320 sq. ft., $8,000.

C. H. Lohf, residence, 2618 Buena Vista, 724 sq. ft., $4344.

A. C. Krusesky, residence, Vista, 870 sq. ft., $5220.

Russell Ray, residence, Palm and Hardy, 345 sq. ft., $2170.

J. D. Wright, residence, Narragansett, 1110 sq. ft., $5100.

Alexander Barron, residence, 7126 North Av., 225 sq. ft., $1530.

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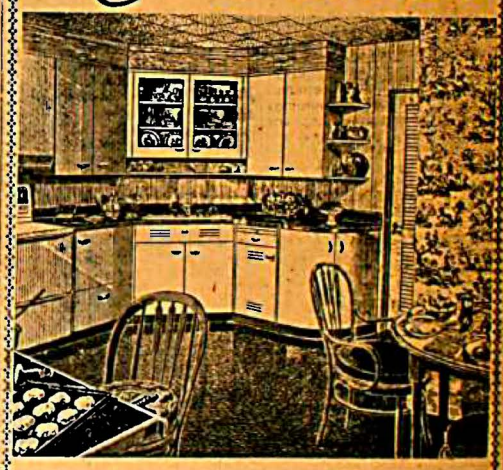

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